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#### **Kansas Crop Acreage**

**Corn** planted acreage, at 4.70 million acres, is 15 percent more than last year's planted acres and is the largest acreage since 1936. Acreage forecasted to be harvested for grain is 4.40 million acres, up 14 percent from last year.

**Soybean** plantings are estimated at a record high of 4.10 million acres, up 11 percent from the previous high of 3.70 million acres set last year. Forecasted acreage for harvest, at a record breaking 4.05 million acres, is 11 percent higher than 2009.

**Sorghum** acreage planted and to be planted, at 2.40 million acres, is down 11 percent from last year, tied with Texas for the largest planted acreage in the Nation. This is the smallest area planted to sorghum in Kansas since 1949. The area forecasted to be harvested as grain, at 2.25 million acres, is down 12 percent from last year, but the largest in the nation.

**Oats** planted in 2010, at 70,000 acres, is down 18 percent from last year. Oats forecasted to be harvested for grain, at 30,000 acres, is down 14 percent from the previous year. **Barley** planted acreage, at 12,000 acres, decreased 2,000 acres from last year. Forecasted acreage for harvest, at 7,000 acres, is also down 2,000 acres from

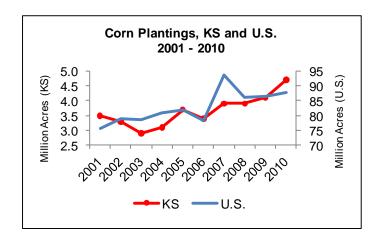
2009. **All sunflowers** planted, at 165,000 acres, are down 2 percent from last year. Oil type varieties planted are at 140,000 acres, while non-oil varieties are planted on 25,000 acres. All sunflowers harvested are forecasted to total 153,000 acres with oil type varieties projected at 130,000 harvested acres. Acreage to be harvested for **hay** is forecasted to total 2.40 million acres, down 6 percent from last year. Of the total hay acreage, 800,000 acres are alfalfa hay, down 6 percent from last year. Area planted to **dry edible beans**, at 8,000 acres, is down 500 acres from last year. Harvested acreage is forecast at 7,500 acres. **Cotton** acreage planted is estimated at 40,000 acres in 2010, up 5 percent from last year.

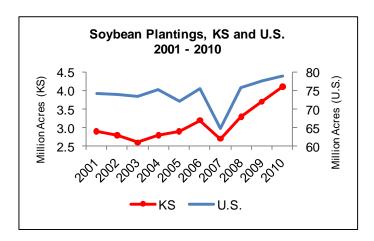
Kansas growers planted 19.8 million acres to the four major crops (wheat, sorghum, corn, and soybeans), unchanged from 2009. **Wheat** seeded last fall totaled 8.6 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but down 8 percent (700,000 acres) from last year. This is the lowest planted acreage in Kansas since 1957. Acreage for harvest is forecasted to be 8.2 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but 7 percent (600,000 acres) below a year ago.

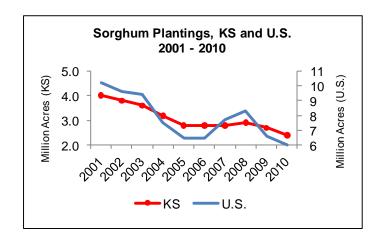
**Crop Acreage, 2009-2010** 

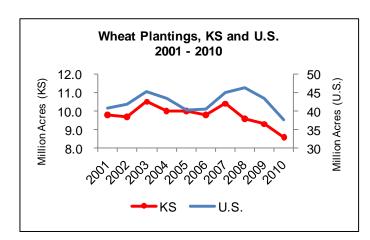
	Kansas				United States			
Cron	Planted		Harvested 1		Planted		Harvested <sup>1</sup>	
Crop	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres	
Wheat, Winter	9,300	8,600	8,800	8,200	43,311	37,723	34,485	32,085
Corn, All <sup>2</sup>	4,100	4,700	3,860	4,400	86,482	87,872	79,590	81,005
Sorghum, All <sup>2</sup>	2,700	2,400	2,550	2,250	6,633	6,000	5,520	5,176
Soybeans	3,700	4,100	3,650	4,050	77,451	78,868	76,372	77,986
Oats <sup>2</sup>	85	70	35	30	3,404	3,176	1,379	1,315
Barley <sup>2</sup>	14	12	9	7	3,567	2,972	3,113	2,546
Hay, All	-	-	2,550	2,400	-	-	59,755	59,656
Alfalfa	-	-	850	800	-	-	21,227	20,732
Other	-	-	1,700	1,600	-	-	38,528	38,924
Sunflowers, All	168.0	165.0	155.0	153.0	2,030.0	2,093.0	1,953.5	2,011.3
Oil	150.0	140.0	140.0	130.0	1,698.0	1,652.0	1,653.0	1,596.5
Non-oil	18.0	25.0	15.0	23.0	332.0	441.0	300.5	414.8
Beans, Dry Edible	8.5	8.0	8.0	7.5	1,537.5	1,742.3	1,463.0	1,670.1
Cotton, All	38.0	40.0	34.0	*	9,149.5	10,909.0	7,528.7	*

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Forecasted. <sup>2</sup> Harvested area is for grain. \* First estimate of area harvested will be released August 12, 2010.









Kansas Corn and Sovbean Planted Acreage, by District, 2009-2010

	Corn Planted			Soybeans Planted <sup>1</sup>			
District	2009	2010	2010 as % of 2009	2009	2010	2010 as % of 2009	
	1,000	Acres	Percent	1,000 A	Acres	Percent	
Northwest	720	850	118	1	1	-	
West Central	350	440	126	1	1	-	
Southwest	820	840	102	75	70	93	
North Central	310	360	116	549	720	131	
Central	175	240	137	403	500	124	
South Central	440	530	120	465	540	116	
Northeast	600	610	102	659	650	99	
East Central	325	380	117	708	780	110	
Southeast	360	450	125	750	710	95	
Other Districts	-	-	-	91	130	143	
State	4,100	4,700	115	3,700	4,100	111	

Some districts are not published due to insufficient or confidential data.

## Grain Stocks – June 1, 2010, with Comparisons Kansas and United States

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Crop	Date	On Farms	Kansas Off Farms <sup>1</sup>	Total All Positions	On Farms	Off Farms <sup>1</sup>	Total All Positions
		1,000 bushels				1,000 bushels	
All Wheat	June 1, 2010	6,300	152,331	158,631	209,900	763,492	973,392
	March 1, 2010	12,000	201,064	213,064	348,250	1,008,107	1,356,357
	June 1, 2009	4,700	76,541	81,241	140,745	515,760	656,505
Corn	June 1, 2010	44,000	131,858	175,858	2,131,400	2,178,644	4,310,044
	March 1, 2010	92,000	219,037	311,037	4,548,000	3,145,787	7,693,787
	June 1, 2009	38,000	127,905	165,905	2,205,400	2,056,027	4,261,427
Sorghum	June 1, 2010 March 1, 2010 June 1, 2009	6,300 16,000 7,500	45,139 94,361 54,088	51,439 110,361 61,588	10,700 23,680 12,000	77,154 151,873 90,215	87,854 175,553 102,215
Soybeans	June 1, 2010 March 1, 2010 June 1, 2009	5,800 16,000 5,500	12,125 29,020 14,063	17,925 45,020 19,563	232,600 609,200 226,300	338,417 660,868 369,859	571,017 1,270,068 596,159
Oats	June 1, 2010 March 1, 2010 June 1, 2009	* *	243 316 238	* *	17,600 30,900 17,480	62,747 67,091 66,619	80,347 97,991 84,099
Barley	June 1, 2010	*	8 12	*	40,440	74,701	115,141
	March 1, 2010 June 1, 2009	*	15	*	67,370 27,010	89,985 61,723	157,355 88,733

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors. \* Data not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

### **Kansas Grain Stocks**

Kansas **wheat** stocks in all positions totaled 158.6 million bushels on June 1, down 26 percent from March 2010, but 95 percent higher than last June. This is the largest amount of June 1 wheat stocks since 2000. Wheat stored in off-farm locations (mills, elevators, warehouses, and processors) totaled 152.3 million bushels, which accounts for 96 percent of the total. On-farm wheat stocks were 6.3 million bushels, up from 4.7 million bushels last June.

Kansas **corn** stocks in all locations, at 175.9 million bushels, were down 43 percent from March 2010, but 6 percent higher than last June. Off-farm stocks, at 131.9 million bushels, account for 75 percent of the total corn stocks. On-farm stocks, at 44.0 million bushels, were up 16 percent from the 2009 June stocks. These are the highest June Stocks on record for all positions, surpassing last year's record high.

**Sorghum grain** in all positions totaled 51.4 million bushels, down 53 percent from March 2010, and 16 percent less than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 45.1 million bushels and on-farm stocks totaled 6.3 million bushels.

Kansas **soybeans** in all locations totaled 17.9 million bushels, down 60 percent from March and 8 percent below the June 2009 level. Off-farm stocks, at 12.1 million bushels, accounted for 68 percent of the total soybean stocks. On-farm stocks, at 5.8 million bushels, were up from 5.5 million last year.

Off-farm **oat** stocks totaled 243,000 bushels, down 23 percent from March but 2 percent higher than June 2009. Stocks of **barley** in off-farm facilities totaled 8,000 bushels, down from 12,000 bushels in March and 15,000 last June.



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## Kansas Biotechnology Varieties of Corn and Soybeans

Kansas farmers planted 90 percent of their **corn** acreage with varieties developed using biotechnology. Twenty-two percent of the acreage was planted with insect resistant only varieties containing bacillus thuringiensis (Bt) and 28 percent of the acreage with herbicide resistant varieties developed using biotechnology. Stacked gene varieties, those containing both insect and herbicide resistance, were planted on 40 percent of the corn acreage.

Producers planted 95 percent of the **soybean** acreage to herbicide resistant varieties in 2010, up 1 percent from last year.

Biotechnology Varieties: Kansas and United States, 2009-2010

		Kan	sas	United States		
Crop	Variety	2009	2010	2009	2010	
		Pero	cent	Per	cent	
Corn	Insect Resistant (Bt)	24	22	17	16	
	Herbicide Resistant	29	28	22	23	
	Stacked Gene	38	40	46	47	
	All Biotech Varieties	91	90	85	86	
Soybeans	Herbicide Resistant	94	95	91	93	
	All Biotech Varieties	94	95	91	93	